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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director, NPIC  
FROM: Chief, CIA/PAD (NPIC)

25X1A SUBJECT: Brief by [redacted]

25X1A 1. At 1000 on 8 January 1962, [redacted] and I attended a briefing by [redacted] having to do with his new role as DDI Coordinator on Cuba. 25X1A

2. The meeting was attended by representatives of all major elements of the DDI including OSI, ORR, OCI, ONE, and OBI. The discussions centered around the attached requirement levied on the DDI by DDP/[redacted] 25X1A

3. One of the impressions received was that there was precious little intelligence work accomplished on Cuba to date, that this was a first for DDP to levy a requirement on DDI, that various publications almost ready (including an NIS on Cuba) are sadly out of date but may be issued as background, etc. In fact, the situation appeared nothing less than appalling. I have the feeling that NPIC has more people working on Cuba and more intelligence in the form of blip books, etc. than all the rest of DDI combined. I was able to comment only to a minor extent on PI work in view of the fact that most of those in attendance lacked our clearance.

4. It was emphasized several times that we should not in any way consider that this new interest in Cuba meant another invasion attempt.

25X1A 5. [redacted] and I talked to [redacted] following the meeting and he stated that more people would necessarily have to have "T" clearance. All in all, if this project really gets moving, we feel that CIA/PAD as well as NPIC may become involved in a great deal of work on Cuba. 25X1A

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25X1A P.S. [redacted] just called and wants CIA/PAD to give a briefing next Wednesday (17 Jan.) at 1000 in our LS area at Langley to a group of newly cleared DDI personnel. The purpose of this briefing will be to show what we have done, are doing, **SECRET** capable of doing in regard to Cuba. gwg

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To Be Levied on DDII. Political.

- A. Foreign Policies (Cuban)
- B. U.S. Foreign Policy Toward Cuba
- C. OAS Policy Toward Cuba
- D. The Revolutionary Government and its structure.
  - 1. Individual loyalty or disaffection toward the regime.
  - 2. Individual biographies of persons by Municipality or Province.
- E. List of Cuban diplomatic representatives abroad.
  - 1. Bloc countries.
  - 2. Non-Bloc countries.

II. Economic.

- A. Character of the Economy.
- B. Separate listings of commercial firms conducting business with Cuba.
  - 1. In Cuba
  - 2. Other than Cuba.
- C. Summary of the current agricultural and industrial situation.
- D. Statement of Bloc and non-Bloc economic commitments to Cuba and their status.

III. Sociological.

- A. Social structure of Cuban society.
- B. Influence of the Government system on the Cuban family.
- C. Status of education.
- D. Government control of the Labor Force and its reaction.
- E. Status of religion as pertains to Regime suppression and control.

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